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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Patent Application of:
Reiner Class *et al.*

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Filing Date:	October 10, 2002	:	Attorney Docket No.:	10573-1U1
Title:	ANTIMICROBIAL HISTONE H1 COMPOSITIONS, KITS, AND METHODS OF USE THEREOF			

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(A))

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a three-month extension of time to and including February 12, 2004, for responding to the Office Action mailed August 8, 2003. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

- ☒ A check covering the amount of \$ 475.00 is enclosed herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (Billing No. 210573.0002) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
- ☐ Extension fee in the amount of \$ ____ .00
- ☒ Any deficiencies or overpayments in the above-calculated fee.

Respectfully submitted,

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